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Mrs. A.I. Ambrose,
55 Mitchell Street,
Glebe,
Sydney, New South Wales,
Australia.

Madam,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated June 24, 1937, and to inform you that your husband, Mr. S.R.R. Ambrose, is still employed as Chief Examiner in the Chinese Maritime Customs, Old Ningpo Wharf, Shanghai, and resides at No. 35F Brenan Road.

I am, Madam,

Your obedient servant,

(Sd) K. M. Bourne

Deputy Commissioner of Police
in Charge.

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No.

Special Branch - CS6. Station,

REPORT

Date July 31, 1937.

Subject. Communication dated June 24, 1937 from Mrs. J. I. AMBROSE,
55 Mitchell Street, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.

Made by and Forwarded by D.S. Pitts.

Enquiries indicate that the contents of the attached communication are fundamentally correct.

Mr. S.R.R. AMBROSE at present holds the rank of Chief Examiner (A) in the Chinese Maritime Customs and is attached to the Old Ningpo Wharf. His private address is 35F Brenan Road, where he is living with a woman of Russian nationality.

Mr. S.R.R. AMBROSE owes considerable amounts of money to various persons in Shanghai and it is learned that Mr. H. BROWETT, Solicitor and Advocate, of 34 Museum Road, has been acting on behalf of certain of his creditors in an effort to effect a settlement.

During the course of this enquiry nothing has been done that might embarrass Mr. AMBROSE in his present position in the Chinese Maritime Customs.

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55, Mitchell ~~Street~~ ⁸⁰²⁷
Glebe.
Sydney, N. S. Wales

To. The Commissioner of Police
Police Headquarters
Shanghai, China.

Sir,

My name is --
Mrs. James, J. Ambrose
and I seek information regarding
the whereabouts (Domestic business
address) of my husband

Sydney Reginald R. Ambrose
who last wrote me from Shanghai
September 18th 36 at which time
he was still in the employ of the
Chinese Maritime Customs as an
Examiner & post he has held for
many years. On that occasion he
asked me to take steps to secure a
divorce as his affections were
elsewhere.

I was married to Mr. Ambrose in
Shanghai at the B. M. B. Consulate

by the Acting Consul E. G. Jamieson
 June 19th 1925. I resided in China
 for a period of ten years, my husband
 being stationed first at Shanghai
 then to Santos next to Canton
 & afterwards I changed again Shanghai
 to all of which places I accompanied
 him. We last lived at The Norfolk
 on Seymour Road Shanghai from
 which place I for health reasons
 left for Sydney about June 16th
 per ^{the} Ashimi Maru leaving Hong
 Kong June 19th per Atlanta Maru
 arrived in Sydney 13th July 25.
 I have remained with my
 Mother ever since.

Since the date supplied to
 you 15-9-36 my husband has
 not written me, nor in spite
 of my repeated requests has he
 sent me my fare to return to
 him. I have written him
 (and always in friendly terms)
 regularly acknowledging small

remittances sent at irregular intervals but without any letter from him accompanying these Bank Drafts.

I am desirous of returning to my my husband but cannot do so unless he forwards the necessary money.

If therefore you can give me any details regarding Mr. Ambrose's present occupation & domestic affairs in view of his request that I divorce him) I shall be most grateful as I am in necessitous circumstances and am in debt to my Mother who is also in poor circumstances for providing me with a home

Yours & faithfully
 Anne. J. Ambrose